

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
AUSTIN DIVISION

DEFENSE DISTRIBUTED and
SECOND AMENDMENT FOUNDATION,
INC.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT
OF STATE, MICHAEL R. POMPEO, in
his official capacity as Secretary of State;
DIRECTORATE OF DEFENSE TRADE
CONTROLS; MIKE MILLER, in his
official capacity as Acting Deputy Assistant
Secretary of Defense Trade Controls;
SARAH HEIDEMA, in her official capacity
as Director of Policy, Office of Defense
Trade Controls Policy,

and

GURBIR GREWAL, Attorney General of
the State of New Jersey

Defendants.

Case No. 1:18-cv-637-RP

Notice of mandamus

Defense Distributed and the Second Amendment Foundation, Inc. have appealed to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit from the Order regarding severance and transfer entered as Document 145 on April 19, 2021, and in conjunction with that appeal have alternatively petitioned the Fifth Circuit for a writ of mandamus against that same decision. A copy of the filing seeking mandamus relief is attached to this notice as an exhibit. *See* Fed. R. App. P. 21(a)(1) (“The party must also provide a copy to the trial-court judge.”).

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Respectfully submitted,

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I certify that a copy of this filing was served on all parties and/or their counsel of record through a manner authorized by Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 5(b) on June 21, 2020.

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